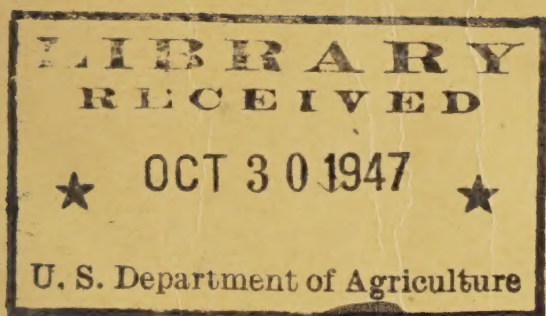


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**Azaleas and Camellias**  
**Our Specialties**

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# **Flowerwood Nursery**

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## FLOWERWOOD NURSERY

The Flowerwood Nursery is managed by Gregory L. Smith, with Sidney B. Meadows, Jr., a graduate horticulturist in charge of propagation, and Harold W. Lyons as our salesman. The nursery has specialized since the beginning of its business in the growing of fine camellias and azaleas, and our stock of these plants, we believe, is one of the largest and best in the country. We have five greenhouses for propagating and growing plants, nearly 26,000 square feet under glass and many acres under lath. We also have a great many camellias growing in fields, and a large azalea garden in which our specimen azaleas are grown. Our nursery is located very near Mobile Bay, and is surrounded by streams giving us a moderate climate for growing plants.

To reach our Cedar Point Road nursery from points south of Mobile, there is a highway leading directly from U. S. Highway 90 at a point one-half mile north of Theodore, Alabama, and is only four and one-half miles to our nursery. The road is marked by a large red arrow with "Flowerwood Nursery" on it.

We have started a branch nursery at Loxley, Alabama. This nursery is young and not ready to serve our customers as yet, but in the next several years, we expect to develop it into one of the best azalea and camellia nurseries in this part of the country. Also for our customers coming from parts east of Mobile, it will be considerably closer. Our Loxley branch is located on State Highway No. 3 one and one-half miles from Loxley and about seven miles from Stapleton.

We would like for you to visit our nurseries and hope you will give us an opportunity to serve you this season.



## TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE

**DISCOUNTS:** A substantial discount will be given on carload orders or plants picked up by truck at our nursery when we do not have to pack.

**TERMS:** Cash with order.

C.O.D. orders will be considered only when a deposit of 25% is sent with order.

All plants selected or marked by customers in advance of the growing season will be regraded and priced according to size when delivered.

**SHIPPING:** Please state whether you want shipment by Express, Motor Freight or Railway Freight. We are not in a position to make any Parcel Post shipments. If no preference is given we will use our best judgment as to method of shipment.

**SIZE OF ORDER:** Due to the present cost of packing we will not be able to accept any orders for shipment for less than \$10.00.

## AZALEAS

Azaleas are not difficult to grow, and require very little attention, if proper care is taken to see that they are planted in congenial surroundings. All azaleas must be planted in an acid, well-drained soil. Kurume azaleas will not survive water standing on the ground around them. Indica azaleas will stand poor drainage better than Kurumes, but it is not to their liking. They will prosper either in partial shade or in the full sun, provided the roots are not allowed to be damaged by heat during the hot weather. This can be avoided by a mulch of oak leaves or pine straw. It is not good for azaleas to bank them with leaf mold or to put a high bank of leaves or straw around them. If the dirt or mound is built up around the plant, the roots grow to the surface and become exposed to the sun, which causes serious damage in dry spells. Furthermore, if there is a mound built up around the stem of the plant this will cause water to drain away from the plant during dry weather, when moisture is necessary. All azaleas like plenty of water, provided the drainage is good.

As azalea roots are very fine and require a large amount of moisture, the plants do not thrive in close proximity to trees that have surface roots, such as pecan trees, water oaks, and hickory trees. However, they will do well near such trees if they are constantly watered during dry weather.

The Indica azaleas stand much more heat than the Kurume azaleas. They are native to the deep South, while the Kurume azaleas do much better in colder climates.

We have found the safest all round fertilizer for azaleas to be cotton seed meal. It should be scattered on the top of the ground around the plant and allowed to wash in the soil, without being cultivated. Azaleas may be fertilized with commercial fertilizers having an acid reaction, but it is very necessary to use great care, because most of the roots are near the surface, and are easily burned.

A spray consisting of one gallon of water, three level tablespoons of Volck, or other white oil emulsion, three level tablespoons of Derris powder, and one teaspoon of Black



Leaf 40 will take care of any of the insects and scales that affect azaleas. The spraying should be done just after the blooming season in the Spring, and repeated at intervals of not less than three to four weeks, until the trouble has been remedied. It is of course necessary to apply the spray with force, and directly on the part that is affected, which in most instances is on the bottom of the leaves and in the forks of the twigs.

The Pride of Mobile azalea is, in our opinion, the most beautiful and satisfactory of all. Its color is brilliant watermelon red, and it blooms more profusely than any other variety. The true Pride of Mobile, which we have, is a very hardy plant, and stands more cold than any other variety of Indica azalea. It generally blooms a little later than the other varieties, and the blooms, therefore, are not so often damaged by late cold weather.

## AZALEA INDICA

Indica azaleas are not hardy in cold climates, but they are adaptable for plantings throughout the entire Gulf Coast section, and along the Atlantic Coast area as far north as North Carolina.

DAPHNE SALMON — Light salmon. Fast, compact, upright grower, very hardy and blooms profusely. One of the finest of the Indica azaleas.

DUC DE ROHAN — Salmon pink. Compact growth, small dark green leaves. Does not stand cold very well, but makes a beautiful pot plant.

ELEGANS — Light pink. A fast upright growth, and one of the first to bloom.

FISHER PINK — Light pink. Blooms mid-season about the same time as Pride of Mobile. Large flowers, profuse bloomer, compact grower, very hardy. We think this is one of the best.

FORMOSA — Light purple with pink cast. Large flowers, large dark green leaves, fast dense grower. Very hardy. The best of its color.



GLORIA OF SUNNYHILL — Salmon or brick dust pink. Compact irregular grower. Large light green leaves. Very satisfactory bloomer.

INDICA ALBA — Pure white. Light green, hairy leaves, upright grower, mid-season bloomer.

LATANA ALBA — White. Dwarf, bushy grower, late bloomer.

LILACINA — Lilac, light green hairy leaves. Upright grower. Very delightful fragrance.

MOSS POINT RED — Orange red. Compact grower, dark green leaves, large, waxy flowers, late bloomer.

ORCHID — Light orchid. Medium sized flower, early bloomer, fast, upright grower.

PRIDE OF MOBILE — This is the finest and most beautiful of all azaleas. Lovely watermelon pink blooms regularly and profusely cover the bushes. The larger plants cover with blooms to such an extent that the foliage is hardly visible, and even very small bushes make a wonderful display of flowers. It is a very hardy variety. We have the true Pride of Mobile, which is much better than many watermelon pinks sold for it, which are not as hardy.

### KURUME AZALEAS

Almost all florists and growers of pot plants are now familiar with the use of Kurume azaleas for pot plants, as each year the demand for them has grown tremendously. The trade has found these azaleas, which cover with a profusion of beautiful flowers when they come into bloom, to be very popular pot plants, and also a profitable crop that requires very little care or expense. They should be potted in a light soil, preferably with some peat mixed in, and kept well-watered. In a 50 to 60 degree house the plants should come into bloom within six weeks to two months.

In addition to the use of Kurume azaleas for pot plants, they are extensively used for



landscape work. They are a dwarf type of azalea, much hardier than the Indica varieties, and are very popular in cooler climates.

APPLE BLOSSOM — Hose-in-hose pink flowers the color of apple blossoms.

BRIDESMAID — Big salmon pink flowers. More vigorous grower than other Kurumes. CHRISTMAS CHEER — Free bloomer of the brightest red, hose-in-hose type flowers. Small dark green leaves. Mid-season.

CORAL BELLS — The most popular of all the Kurume azaleas, and the most adaptable variety for forcing. Beautiful shell pink flowers of the hose-in-hose type. Small glossy foliage, and compact grower.

HEXE — Slow, compact grower, with showy deep scarlet, hose-in-hose flowers.

HINODEGIRI — Brilliant red flowers. Profuse bloomer, low bushy plants. Mid-season. Very good for pot plants.

MAUVE BEAUTY — Flowers of a delicate mauve shade literally cover the entire plant. Compact, dwarf grower.

SALMON BEAUTY — Large hose-in-hose deep salmon flowers, large glossy green leaves. Mid-season.

SNOW — Pure snow-white hose-in-hose type. Compact grower and profuse bloomer. Mid-season. Very popular.



## AZALEA PRICES

### INDICA AZALEAS AVAILABLE

SIZE	6-8 inch	8-10 inch	10-12 inch	12-18 inch	18-24 inch
Pride of Mobile.....	X	X	X	X	
Formosa.....	X	X	X	X	X
Elegans .....	X	X	X	X	X
Fishers Pink .....	X	X	X		
Daphne Salmon.....	X	X	X		
Lilacina .....	X	X	X		
Moss Point					
Red .....	X				
Latana Alba.....	X				
Indica Alba.....	X				
Orchid .....	X	X			
Due de Rohan.....	X				
Glory of Sunnyhill .....	X				

Prices of Indica Azaleas—	Each	10	100
6 to 8 inch, bed grown.....	\$	\$1.10	\$10.00
8 to 10 inch, with buds.....	.40	3.50	30.00
10 to 12 inch, with buds.....	.50	4.50	40.00
12 to 18 inch, with buds.....	.70	6.50	60.00
18 to 24 inch, with buds.....	1.00	9.50	90.00

### KURUME AZALEAS AVAILABLE

SIZE—	4-6 inch (B. G.)	4-6 inch	6-8 inch	8-10 inch	10-12 inch	12-18 inch	18-24 inch
Coral Bell.....	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hinodigiri .....	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Christmas							
Cheer .....	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Salmon Beauty	X		X	X	X	X	X
Snow .....	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Brides Maid.....	X						
Hexi .....	X	X		X	X		
Apple Blossom..	X						
Mauve Beauty..	X						

Price of Kurume Azaleas—	Each	10	100
4 to 6 inch, bed grown.....	\$	\$1.10	\$10.00
4 to 6 inch, compact budded	.45	4.00	35.00
6 to 8 inch, with buds.....	.60	5.50	50.00
8 to 10 inch, with buds.....	.70	6.50	60.00
10 to 12 inch, with buds.....	.95	9.00	85.00
12 to 18 inch, with buds.....	1.25	12.00	110.00
18 to 24 inch, with buds.....	1.65	16.00	150.00

## CAMELLIAS

Camellias will grow and prosper under widely varying conditions as to soil and temperature, but it is absolutely essential that they have good drainage. It is useless to plant a camellia at any place where the water will stand after a hard rain. They will grow in almost dense shade and in the full sun. Camellias will stand a good deal of severe weather, if the cold comes gradually and the plants have an opportunity to harden up before the first severe freeze. However, an early severe freeze, while the growth is still tender, will probably cause damage to the buds.

Camellias, like azaleas, prefer an acid soil, but will stand a broader variation of soil, and will grow well even if the soil is just slightly acid.

Camellias are subject to several forms of scale which can be easily controlled by spraying. A spray of one gallon of water, three tablespoons of Volck, or other white oil emulsion, and one teaspoon of Black Leaf 40, will be effective. Care should be used not to spray in the hot sun. If the plant is not shaded, it should be sprayed late in the afternoon, if possible. Otherwise the leaves are likely to be badly burned, which will retard the growth of the plant. Generally it is sufficient to spray in the spring and again in the fall, but if a plant is badly infested with disease we recommend spraying every three weeks until the scale is killed.

Sometimes camellias are affected by the disease commonly known as "die-back." This is due to a fungus. We have had satisfactory results in controlling this disease by spraying with Bordeaux mixture three times in the Spring, at ten-day intervals, when the first new growth starts. It is very important that the spraying be done at the time the new growth starts, and the plant should be sprayed thoroughly so as to wet all the branches and the trunk.

A thin mulch of oak leaves or pine straw is good for camellias. Almost any fertilizer that does not have an alkaline reaction can be used. We have had good results with cotton seed meal and Vigoro.



In planting camellias it is absolutely necessary to avoid planting them too deep. The importance of this cannot be stressed too much. If the stem is one inch deeper than it was formerly grown, the growth of the plant will be greatly retarded, and if it is planted several inches deeper the plant will die. In setting the plant in its new position, the ball should be level with the ground.

In the past few years many growers in sections where camellias will not survive planted outside have become aware of the value of growing camellias in their greenhouses as a source of cut flowers for corsages, etc. These plants increase in value from year to year as they grow larger and cover more profusely with blooms. We think all growers would find it profitable to stock a part of their houses with the varieties of camellias that adapt themselves best to greenhouse culture, and make the nicest cut flowers, as the demand for them is growing each year. We have one greenhouse completely stocked with camellias, and have been growing them in our greenhouses ever since Flowerwood Nursery was established. It is not a difficult matter to grow them in the greenhouse, and if you should be interested in planting some camellias in your greenhouses, either directly in the ground, or growing them in pots or tubs, where they can be moved out in the summer, we shall be very glad to advise you of the varieties that we believe are best suited for this purpose, and also to give you whatever advice we can from our experience in growing these plants in the greenhouse.

# CAMELLIA PRICES

## SIZES AND PRICES OF CAMELLIA GRAFTS

SIZE—	10-15 inch	15-18 inch	18-24 inch	24-30 inch	30-36 inch
Admiral					
Nimitz ---	\$10.00	\$12.50	\$15.00		
Audusson					
Varigated		10.00	12.50	\$15.00	\$17.50
Audusson					
Special ---	10.00	12.50	15.00	17.50	
Black					
Dragon ---	10.00	12.50	15.00		
Captain					
Martins					
Favorite --		10.00	12.50		
Catherine					
Cathcart --	7.50	10.00	12.50		
Donkelaari					
Teagarden		10.00	12.50		
Duchess of					
Sutherland		7.50	10.00	12.50	
Eleanor					
Haygood --		7.50	10.00		
Elizabeth					
Boardman		10.00	12.50		
Emperor of					
Russia -----		10.00	12.50		
Eugene					
Lizze -----	7.50	10.00	12.50		
Florence					
Stratton --	7.50	10.00			
Glen 40 -----	7.50				
Guardino					
Schmitz --	7.50				
Lady Mary					
Cromartie		7.50	10.00	12.50	15.00
La Reine					
Variegated		7.50	10.00	12.50	
Lindsey					
Neil -----	7.50	10.00	12.50	15.00	
Madam Chiang					
Kai-Chek		7.50	10.00		
Margaret					
Higdon ---		7.50	10.00	12.50	
Marion					
Mitchell --	7.50	10.00	12.50		
Nagasaki					
Special ---		7.50	10.00	12.50	
Princess					
Nagaski --			10.00	12.50	
Rasen Zome	7.50	10.00	12.50	15.00	



# **CAMELLIA GRAFTS — Continued**

<b>SIZE—</b>	<b>10-15 inch</b>	<b>15-18 inch</b>	<b>18-24 inch</b>	<b>24-30 inch</b>	<b>30-36 inch</b>
Rev. John					
Bennett ..			10.00	12.50	
Rose Dawn..		10.00	12.50	15.00	
Saifu .....		7.50	10.00		
St. Andre...		7.50	10.00		
September					
Morn .....		10.00	12.50		
Smiling					
Beauty ---				12.50	15.00
Swan .....		10.00	12.50	15.00	
Victory					
White .....			10.00	12.50	15.00
White Crane		10.00	12.50		
White					
Empress ..	7.50	10.00	12.50		
White Giant		10.00	12.50	15.00	
Magnolia					
Flora .....	7.50	10.00	12.50		
Rosea					
Superba ..	10.00	12.50			
Sou. de					
Col. Van					
Wassen-					
hove .....	10.00				
Yezo					
Nishiki ---	7.50	10.00			
Rosalie .....	7.50	10.00			

## **RARE CAMELLIAS, GROUP 1** **Sizes Available**

<b>SIZE—</b>	<b>12-18 inch</b>	<b>18-24 inch</b>	<b>24-30 inch</b>	<b>30-36 inch</b>
Rev. John Bennett.....	X	X	X	
Mrs. Chas. Cobb.....	X	X	X	X
Debutante .....	X	X	X	X
H. A. Downing.....	X	X	X	
Duchess of Sutherland	X	X	X	X
Gigantea .....	X	X	X	X
C. M. Hovey.....	X	X	X	
Laurel Leaf.....	X	X	X	X
Purple Dawn.....	X	X	X	X
Wm. Penn.....	X	X	X	
Pink Star.....	X	X	X	X
Rosularis .....	X	X	X	X
Aitonia .....	X	X		
Caprice .....		X	X	
Lady Van Sittart.....		X	X	X
Saifu .....		X	X	
Math. Rosea				
(Sou. de Behaud				
Litou) .....	X	X	X	

## PRICES RARE CAMELLIAS, GROUP 1

Priced Each—	Bareroot	B & B
12 to 18 inch, lath.....	\$2.25	\$ 2.50
18 to 24 inch, lath.....	3.75	4.00
24 to 30 inch, lath.....	6.00	6.50
30 to 36 inch, lath.....		9.00
2 to 2½ feet, specimen.....		12.50
2½ to 3 feet, specimen.....		15.00
3 to 4 feet, specimen.....		20.00

## RARE CAMELLIAS, GROUP 2

### Sizes Available

SIZE—	12-18 inch	18-24 inch	24-30 inch	30-36 inch
Duncan Bell.....	X	X	X	
Elizabeth Arden.....		X	X	
Empress.....	X	X	X	X
Kumasaka.....		X	X	X
Nagasaki.....		X	X	X
Pink Ball.....	X	X	X	X
Queen Bessie.....				X
Pride of Houston (Ross).....	X	X	X	
Snowdrift.....	X	X	X	
Colletti.....	X	X		
Waterloo.....				X
Marchioness of Salisbury.....	X	X		
Duchess de Caze.....	X	X		
Col. Firey.....	X	X	X	
Scarlett O'Hara.....	X	X	X	X
Victor Emmanuel.....	X	X	X	
Governor Mouton.....	X	X	X	

SIZE—	2-2½ feet	2½-3 feet	3-4 feet	4-5 feet
Duncan Bell.....				
Elizabeth Arden.....				
Empress.....				
Kumasaka.....				
Nagasaki.....				
Pink Ball.....				
Queen Bessie.....			X	
Pride of Houston (Ross).....	X	X	X	X
Snowdrift.....				
Colletti.....				
Waterloo.....				
Marchioness of Salisbury.....				
Duchess de Caze.....				
Col. Firey.....			X	X
Scarlett O'Hara.....			X	X
Victor Emmanuel.....				X
Governor Mouton.....				



## PRICES RARE CAMELLIAS, GROUP 2

Priced Each—	Bareroot	B & B
12 to 18 inch, lath.....	\$1.00	\$ 1.25
18 to 24 inch, lath.....	1.75	2.00
24 to 30 inch, lath.....	2.50	3.00
30 to 36 inch, lath.....		4.50
2 to 2½ feet, specimen.....		7.50
2½ to 3 feet, specimen.....		10.00
3 to 4 feet, specimen.....		15.00
4 to 5 feet, specimen.....		20.00

## CAMELLIAS, CLASS A-1

### Sizes Available

SIZE—	12-18 inch	18-24 inch	24-30 inch	30-36 inch
Amabillis.....				X
Ch. Elegans.....	X	X	X	X
Fanny Bollis.....	X	X	X	X
Madam Adele.....	X	X	X	
Margarita				
Caleoni.....	X	X	X	
Rev. John Drayton.....	X	X	X	X
Monjisu.....	X	X	X	
Monarch.....	X	X		
Pink Perfection.....	X	X	X	
Herme.....	X	X	X	X

SIZE—	2-2½ feet	2½-3 feet	3-4 feet	4-5 feet	5-6 feet
Amabillis.....					
Ch. Elegans.....					
Fanny Bollis.....					
Madam Adele.....					
Margarita					
Caleoni.....				X	X
Rev. John Drayton.....					
Monjisu.....					
Monarch.....	X				
Pink Perfection.....					
Herme.....		X	X	X	

## PRICES CAMELLIAS, CLASS A-1

Priced Each—	Bareroot	B & B
12 to 18 inch, lath.....	\$ .75	\$ 1.00
18 to 24 inch, lath.....	1.25	1.50
24 to 30 inch, lath.....	2.25	2.50
30 to 36 inch, lath.....		3.50
2 to 2½ feet, specimen.....		6.00
2½ to 3 feet, specimen.....		8.00
3 to 4 feet, specimen.....		10.00
4 to 5 feet, specimen.....		12.50

# CAMELLIAS, CLASS A

## Sizes Available

SIZES—	12-18 inch	18-24 inch	24-30 inch	30-36 inch	2-2½ feet
Apple Blossom.....	X	X	X	X	
Brilliant.....		X	X	X	
Caldwell.....		X	X		
Cameo Pink.....					
Gloire de Nantes.....		X	X		
Old Rose.....		X	X		
Prince E. Napoleon.....		X	X		
Concordia.....	X	X	X		
Professor Sargent.....	X	X	X		
Derbyana.....	X	X	X		
Otome.....	X	X	X		
Verebillis.....	X	X			
Duc de Orleans.....		X	X		
Elizabeth.....					
Jarvis Red.....	X	X	X		
Kellingtonia.....	X	X	X		
Queen of Hearts.....	X	X	X	X	
Meigs Variegated.....		X	X		

SIZES—	2½-3 feet	3-4 feet	4-5 feet	5-6 feet	6-7 feet
Apple Blossom.....					
Brilliant.....					
Caldwell.....					
Cameo Pink.....			X	X	
Gloire de Nantes.....					
Old Rose.....					
Prince E. Napoleon.....	X	X	X		
Concordia.....					
Professor Sargent.....	X		X	X	X
Derbyana.....					
Otome.....					
Verebillis.....					
Duc de Orleans.....					
Elizabeth.....		X	X		
Jarvis Red.....			X	X	
Kellingtonia.....	X	X	X		
Queen of Hearts.....					
Meigs Variegated.....					

## PRICES CAMELLIAS, CLASS A

Priced Each—	Bareroot	B & B
12 to 18 inch, lath.....	\$ .60	\$ .85
18 to 24 inch, lath.....	.95	1.20
24 to 30 inch, lath.....	1.25	1.50
30 to 36 inch, specimen.....		2.50
2 to 2½ feet, specimen.....		4.50
2½ to 3 feet, specimen.....		6.00
3 to 4 feet, specimen.....		8.50
4 to 5 feet, specimen.....		11.00
5 to 6 feet, specimen.....		13.50
6 to 7 feet, specimen.....		16.00



## DESCRIPTION OF CAMELLIAS

**ADMIRAL NIMITZ** (Kishu Tsukasa) — This, in our opinion, is one of the finest of the imported Japanese varieties. The leaves are straight, light green, pointed and heavily grained, similar to Laurel Leaf. Flower is large and a beautiful shade of pink with an occasional petal mottled with white. Flower opens flat, mid-season to late bloomer.

**AITONIA** — Large, semi-double to single, rose pink with stamens and a few petaloids mixed in center.

**AMABILLIS** — Large, single, pure white flower. Petals large and fluted. Stamens in a broad, compact crown. Early bloomer.

**APPLE BLOSSOM** — A single, very pale pink — sometimes has a light fragrance.

**ADOLPHE AUDUSSON** — This is one of the finest types of semi-double camellias, varying from deep red to red and white variegated, with very large 5 to 6-inch blooms, with prominent stamens irregularly arranged among the heavy-textured broad petals. Handsome, large deep green leaves. We cannot recommend it too highly to lovers of the finest in camellias, as we consider it the best camellia of its type that we have ever grown.

**AUDUSSON SPECIAL** — Sport of Adolphe Audusson, flowers having a particularly beautiful variegation and often times come with extra petals interspersed with the stamens.

**BLACK DRAGON** — This is the English translation of a Japanese name of this variety which we imported from Japan before the war. It is an outstanding camellia. Flowers are very large and very dark red and resemble in color Mrs. Charles Cobb and in form of the Victor Emmanuel. The edges of the petals are crimped and are of a much deeper shade than the balance of the flower. The few flowers that we have exhibited have attracted a great deal of attention.

**BRILLIANT** — Full Double red. Petals curve slightly at edges. Mid-season bloomer.

C. M. HOVEY (Paulina) — Very double camellia, with a high pointed center. The huge flowers are a uniform shade of brilliant scarlet with pure white blotches. The very large petals are beautifully veined and textured.

CALDWELL — Peonyform light pink, Flowers the size and shape of Professor Sargent.

CAMEO PINK — A very lovely camellia of a soft, delicate shade of pink. This is an unusual variety in that it resembles a water lily. Full double, symmetrical form, showing golden stamens in center when fully open.

CAPRICE — Lovely semi-double high centered white, stamens and petals intermingled.

CAPTAIN MARTIN'S FAVORITE — Early blooming, medium sized, imbricated, deep pink, variegated.

CATHERINE CATHCART (Leila) — A very lovely shade of pink with water-lily freshness. Late bloomer, perfection form, medium to large and sometimes variegated.

CHANDLERI ELEGANS — A most spectacular camellia. Large, loose peonyform flowers, 5-6 inches in diameter, with broad outer flat petals, and a thick center cluster of petaloids interspersed with yellow stamens. Variegated, cherry red to light pink, splotted with white. A heavy bloomer, with dark green shiny foliage.

MRS. CHAS. COBB — Full peonyform camellia of the deepest red. Very large petals with only a few petaloids. This variety has unusually nice foliage and is a vigorous grower. Among the best of the Magnolia Gardens varieties.

COLLETTI MACULATA — A variegated peonyform dark red and pure white, some flowers having the white predominating and some predominately red. The petals vary from small petals in the center to large flat petals on the outer edge. A very few stamens show in the middle. The leaves are



deep green and round, often having a slight yellow variegation, and the habit of growth of the plant is full and round. This prolific, mid-season blooming camellia is very striking and colorful.

COL. FIREY (Mississippi Hastie) — A large deep crimson extremely double flower. Late bloomer. Dark green foliage.

CONCORDIA (Prince Albert) — A beautiful pink and white variegated flower of peonyform. The individual flowers on the bush vary both in form and in color. Occasionally there is an all pink flower, and sometimes there are both peony and rose form flowers on the same plant. The leaves are light green and serrated. They resemble the leaves of Dubutante, but are not as sharply serrated and are smaller. Does well both in the greenhouse and outside.

DEBUTANTE (Sara C. Hastie) — A very lovely, early blooming, large peonyform flower of delicate solid pink. The light green foliage is very vigorous, with distinctly serrated leaves.

DERBYANA — Semi-double to peonyform dark red with stamens intermingled with petaloids in center. Very vigorous grower.

DONKELAARI TEAGARDEN — Our best strain of Donkelaari, very large semi-double red marbled white, with uniform golden stamens in center. Prolific bloomer but very slow grower.

H. A. DOWNING — Very large, loose semi-double flowers of deep red, with stamens showing among the petals. A bushy, slow-growing variety, and late bloomer.

DUC DE ORLEANS (Marguerite Guillon) — A semi-double pink and white, often solid pink, with stamens interspersed with inner petals. A very free bloomer.

DUCHESS DE CAZE (Opelousas Peony, Althea Flora) — Light pink and white, sometimes solid pink peonyform flower.

DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND — Large semi-double creamy white, with one or two

pink stripes on one petal. The outer petals are large and flat, and the inner petals are curled. Has prominent circles of stamens. This beautifully formed camellia is considered one of the finest of the Magnolia Garden varieties.

DUNCAN BELL (Mrs. Meno Ladnier) — The blossoms are six inches in diameter, a beautiful orange-red, with large flat, regularly imbricated outer petals, and numerous irregularly arranged small petals in the center, different from any other camellia we have seen. A fast, tall-growing plant, with giant shiny leaves.

ELEANOR HAYGOOD — Large, delicate, pale pink. Rose form, late bloomer, vigorous bloomer.

ELIZABETH (Montironi) — Porcelain white, occasionally a flower will have some pink in it, or there may be an all-pink bloom. The edges of the petals are incurved. A beautiful flower and a handsome evergreen.

ELIZABETH ARDEN — Double variegated, color ranging from white with rose stripe to rose. Blossoms when first open have a rosebud center but later show stamens. A vigorous healthy growing plant.

ELIZABETH BOARDMAN — Large semi-double white. Pom-pom center with golden stamens interspersed. A very good white.

EMPEROR OF RUSSIA (Emperor) — This brilliant scarlet camellia has very large outside petals, with a full, high-centered cluster of smaller recurved petals. The leaves are round and very dark green. Somewhat dwarf in habit of growth.

EMPRESS (Lady Claire, Grandiflora Rosea) — Very large, 6 to 7 inches, semi-double flower. Its broad petals of deep rich pink are arranged around a center cluster of yellow stamens. A strikingly beautiful flower.

EUGENE LIZZE — Beautiful semi-double to loose peonyform, cherry-red marbled with white. Color combination is one of the best and makes a striking flower. This is said to



be a sport of Donkelaari and has its characteristics of growth.

FANNY BOLLIS — Large semi-double red flowers, boldly blotched with white, with enormous heavy-textured petals loosely arranged brilliant stamens. The deep green leaves are very thick and rather convex. A vigorous grower, with heavy twigs. This colorful camellia makes a very beautiful shrub.

FLORENCE STRATTON — Very large formal double. Coloring varies from solid white to solid pink. When flowers are fully open they are very symmetrical with the tips of the petals incurved in a circular design. The flowers exhibited last year in shows caused a great deal of interest. The foliage is very large, crinkled and light green. Very vigorous grower.

GIGANTEA — An immense semi-double red with white markings and prominent circle of stamens. Large foliage, irregular upright growth.

GLEN 40 — A large double heavy-blooming variety of the loveliest orange red. The outer petals are rather regular in formation, and open around a bud-center that gradually fully opens showing a few stamens. This is a slow-growing, hardy variety.

GLOIRE DE NANTES (Leana Superba) — A large semi-double vivid red flower, with long yellow stamens interspersed with the center petals. Thick dark green, waxy leaves. A very compact grower.

GOVERNOR MOUTON — A free-blooming variety, with medium size peonyform flowers, varying from solid dark red to red and white. The flowers resemble somewhat the Colletti Maculata, but the red is not as brilliant, and the outer petals are generally spreading in habit of growth.

GUARDINO SCHMITZ — Medium sized, semi-double clear red variegated. When in bud form the flower sometimes appears as a double but soon opens wide and shows stamens.

HERME (Jordan's Pride, Hikari-Genji, Jenny Lind) — Very large, semi-double white flowers, with red and pink stripes and splotches. Slightly fragrant, Early bloomer, tall, rapid grower. One of the most popular and most satisfactory of all camellias.

JARVIS RED — Deep scarlet red, semi-double, with yellow stamens; heavy bloomer. A beautiful and most satisfactory garden variety that holds its popularity year after year.

KELLINGTONIA — Red and white peony type flower. Blooms heavily every year. A rapid, compact grower, with dark green, glossy leaves.

KUMASAKA (Beni-Korako, Lady Marion) — One of the finest of all pinks. A deep glowing pink, with very broad outer petals around a large inner circle of curled petaloids. When fully open, some stamens show through the petaloids.

KUMASAKA, VARIEGATED — Same as Kumasaka only with a very pleasing white variegation.

LADY MARY CROMARTIE — Extremely large deep pink semi-double camellia, showing stamens in clustered arrangement. This flower frequently has aberrant petaloids among the stamens.

LADY VAN SITTART — A semi-double, large, deep pink and white flower, attractively simple in structure. The petals are slightly crinkled, with pronounced veins, and have a regular group of bright yellow stamens in the center. The dark green leaves are distinctly long, narrow and pointed, and are faintly crinkled or curled.

LA REINE VARIEGATED — Believed to be a sport of Lady Mary Cromartie. Same type flower except for large spots of white variegation.

LAUREL LEAF (Lallarook) — This is one of the most exquisite of all camellias. It is the largest full-double variety of which we know. Of perfect symmetry, with a salmon



rose-pink center, shading to a deeper rose on the tips of the incurved petals. The petals are beautifully textured, and have very fine veins of deeper rose. The foliage is quite distinctive, with its long, rather narrow light green leaves that are very glossy. The finest greenhouse variety. Our Laurel Leaf is distinctly different, both in foliage and bloom, from what we have purchased as Il Tremento, which is sometimes listed as being synonymous with Laurel Leaf.

LINDSEY NEIL — Beautiful semi-double to peonyform, dark red with well defined white markings. Petaloids intermingled with stamens. Dependable bloomer, very slow, compact grower.

MADAM ADELE — Peonyform, large rose-pink with yellow stamens intermixed.

MADAME CHIANG KAI-SHEK — Large semi-double deep rose-pink flecked with white with prominent circle of stamens. Beautiful in its simplicity.

MAGNOLIAFLORA — The charm of this rare camellia lies in the unusual shape of the blooms and its color of the most delicate shade of blush pink. Nine to ten large petals in a double row open concavely around a small center group of loosely curled inner petaloids. Showing a few golden stamens. The petals are of a firm beautiful texture, and have none of the fragility that cause some blooms of this type and shape to shatter easily.

MARCHIONESS OF SALISBURY — Peonyform deep red marbled with white.

MARGARET HIGDON — Large semi-double rose pink, dark green foliage, upright grower. Dependable mid-season grower.

MARGHARITA CALEONI — Formal double flower with very unusual red and white markings. Has large rosebud center. Good grower and profuse bloomer.

MARION MITCHELL — Large scarlet red semi-double with a few petaloids mixed among the stamens. Very vigorous grower with dark green foliage.

SOUVENIR DE BAHAUD LITOU (Mathotiana Rosea) — Pale pink fading to white. Very distinctive in its delicacy of color. Double imbricated.

MEIGS VARIEGATED — Formal double rose with white variegation. Long narrow leaves. Spreading growth.

MONARCH (Gunelli, Honor of America, Red Ball) — Variegated, deep pink and white, with many clusters of stamens and petals. One of the largest and most beautiful of all camellia blossoms. The plants grow round and compact.

MONJISU — Medium-sized rose red, loosely petaled, semi-double. Petals curve up at outer edge. Mid-season bloomer.

NAGASAKI (Lady Audrey Buller, Tenninkwan) — A magnificent camellia, with big semi-double blossoms and prominent stamens. The large, thick crinkled petals ranging in color from snow white to carmine, are attractively wavy, and slightly convex in shape. The thick deep glossy green leaves are large and round, and have some bright yellow variegation.

NAGASAKI SPECIAL — This is a Nagasaki with unusually beautiful flowers and in our opinion is far more beautiful than the regular Nagasaki. The distinctive feature about the coloring of this flower is the beautiful marbling of the petals and petaloids.

OLD ROSE — Semi-double. In bud form, it looks very similar to a red rose. Large foliage.

OTOME — Similar to Pink Perfection only larger with petals curved back and prominent rose-bud center.

PINK BALL — Irregular peony type flower, shell pink color deepens as flower ages. A vigorous upright grower.

PINK PERFECTION — The most universally popular of all camellias. The medium sized double wax-like flowers, of perfect symmetry and exquisite texture, are a delicate

shell pink. Blooms profusely from November to March and begins blooming when quite young. Perfect for corsages and cut flowers.

**PINK STAR** — Large rose-pink petals heavily veined. Irregular semi-double with inner petals in freshly opened bloom resembling a star.

**PRIDE OF HOUSTON** (Ross) — A large semi-double salmon pink flower, with occasional small spots of white. The center petals are loosely twisted among golden stamens. This is a fine variety for cut flowers, as the stems are very long. Among the latest to bloom in the season.

**PRINCE EUGENE NAPOLEON** (Pope Pius IX) — Scarlet, full double, heavy bloomer, and good grower. We think this is one of the best of all standard varieties of camellias, and highly recommend it for the greenhouse, for cut flowers. It is also a fine garden variety because of its heavy blooming.

**PRINCESS NAGASAKI** — Loose semi-double rose pink flower marbled with white. Petals crinkled and irregular.

**PROF. C. S. SARGENT** — Dark crimson, very full, round peony type. Medium to large-sized flowers, very free bloomer, hardy. A fine standard variety.

**PURPLE DAWN** (Magnolia Garden's, Wm. S. Hastie, Purple Emperor) — An immense, full double, rose-form flower of lake purple, the outer edges of which turn deep purple as the flower gets older. When fully open it shows short stamens in the center. The heavy, lovely textured petals have large veins. The leaves are large, dark green, with thick heavy twigs. A very strong growing plant. This is one of the handsomest of all camellias.

**QUEEN BESSIE** — A white semi-double flower of 3 to 4 inches with stamens. A late bloomer.

**QUEEN OF HEARTS** — Semi-double ranging in color from pink to white. Almost



every bloom on the bush is different. Blooms late.

RASEN ZOME — This is a beautiful camellia which we imported from Japan before the war. The leaves are dark green, heavily veined and frequently variegated. The flowers are a very beautiful unusual light pink resembling in form and size the Eugene Lizze. Both the flowers and foliage are beautiful. We think it is one of the new varieties that is well worth having.

REV. JOHN BENNETT — Very large, loose semi-double salmon pink, with prominent stamens. The center petaloids are often streaked with white. The petals are beautifully veined. The plant has long narrow dark green foliage, and is a very good bloomer.

REV. JOHN G. DRAYTON (Mary E. M.) — A loose peony-like flower of deep pink; wavy petals intermingled with golden stamens. Light green foliage, tall angular growth, late bloomer.

ROSULARIS — Large thickly petaloid peony type. White blotched with deep rose pink. Some flowers come in solid pink.

ROSALEE — Medium sized, smooth deep rose pink. Petals very irregular, inner rows turbulent and interspersed with a few stamens.

ROSEA SUPERBA VARIEGATED — Probably the largest formal double rose. Similar in form to Purple Dawn or C. M. Hovey but often slightly larger. This variety was admired extravagantly wherever shown.

ROSE DAWN — Large rose pink formal flowers similar in form and shape to Alba Plena. A good many of our plants in this variety come variegated which we think adds to its beauty.

SAIFU — This is a dark pink variegated flower with red veins in the petals. The flowers have a small group of yellow stamens in the middle and 5 or 6 rows of large petals that stand out individually. The

leaves are small, dark green with heavy veins and the foliage is very dense. These flowers have attracted a great deal of attention from collectors.

SAINT ANDRE — Very large semi-double, deep rose with irregular spaced yellow stamens and petaloids. This flower has depth and is very impressive.

SCARLETT O'HARA — This is a sport of the lovely Coloney Firey. The large, deep scarlet, closely imbricated petals have an occasional small splotch of white. Both of these varieties have long stems which make them very desirable for corsages and cut flowers. Very late blooming variety.

SEPTEMBER MORN (Yokei Haku) — We gave this Japanese variety the name of September Morn because, in our opinion, it suits the flowers. It is one of the earliest bloomers, generally blooming the first part of September and continues to bloom until about Christmas time. The form of the flowers vary but usually resemble those of Ch. Elegans. The outer petals are large and frequently very beautifully tinted with a baby pink blush. The petaloids are generally creamy yellow which is the nearest of any camellia to yellow. It is a good grower. Because it is an early bloomer and has some of the most unusual and beautiful flowers of any white camellia, in our opinion, it will always be rated as one of the finest.

SMILING BEAUTY — Semi-double bloom of a very delicate pink. Dark green foliage.

SNOWDRIFT — A lovely, pure white camellia, with large semi-double blooms. The arrangement of the petals around the center cluster of stamens is very attractive, and the texture of the petals is of a very good, lasting quality.

SOV. DE COL. VAN WASSENHOVE — A waxy semi-double white with yellow stamens, the texture of which is similar to that of a calla lily. This makes it a very distinctive flower.

SWAN — This is a semi-double white with long thin snow-white petals shaped like the

Imura and the White Hibiscus. It is a very fast, healthy grower and blooms prolifically which makes it a very desirable camellia.

VARIBILLIS — Semi-double with loose petal arrangement. White, striped with rose and pink.

VICTOR EMMANUEL (Blood of China) — A huge peony-form flower of deep orange-red. Distinctly different formation of the bloom from any other camellia. Small round leaves, grows bushy and compact.

VICTORY WHITE — Semi-double peony type. Numerous small petaloids are intermixed with stamens.

WATERLOO (Etherington White) — Very beautiful, semi-double pure white flowers, with large petals of delicate crepe texture, the edges of the petals being fluted. The flowers have a small cluster of stamens in the center.

WHITE CRANE — Large semi-double, pure white with irregular arrangement of petals and showy stamens. A very fine type, good grower and profuse bloomer.

WHITE EMPRESS — Large semi-double white with golden stamens. Early bloomer, attractive dark green foliage.

WHITE GIANT — Semi-double pure white; upright and vigorous grower. Blooms mid-season.

WILLIAM PENN (Purple Peony) — Peony type, outstanding for its almost purple coloring of red sometimes marked with white.

YEZO NISHIKI — This is a tri-color we imported from Japan and, in our opinion, is the finest of all the tri-colors. Flowers are nearly as large as the Nagasaki. Most of the petals are creped, and the colors which vary from almost solid pink to almost pure white, are unusually pretty shades. It is a strong grower and a beautiful yard plant. The flowers are considerably larger than any other tri-color.

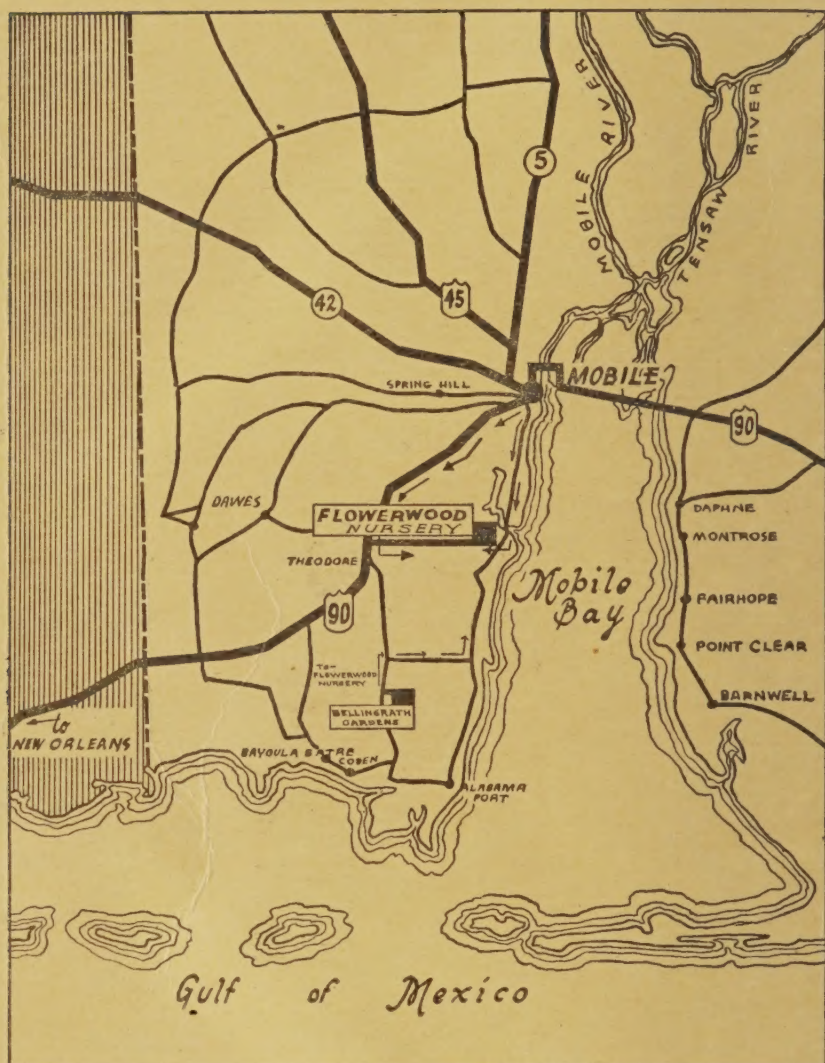












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